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THEOLOGICAL COLLEGES ARE NOW OPENED

Students Back at Lectures Again After the Summer Vacation.

OPENING AT THE P. C.

Rev. George Duncan, B.D., Delivers Inaugural Address to Presbyterians.

Yesterday evening the Presbyterian College was formally opened by the usual public gathering in the Morrice Hall. The invitations extended to the Montreal churches and affiliated colleges were accepted by a large number of friends of the students and of the college.

Dr. Fraser, acting Principal of the College, was in the chair, while members of the faculty as well as of the governing body supported him on the platform. After the opening exercises the chairman made a few preliminary remarks, stating that this occasion was the fiftieth anniversary of the granting of the charter to the college as well as the forty-eighth anniversary of the first formal opening. He spoke feelingly, too, of the great loss the college had sustained in the death of Dr. Scrimger. He claimed that it was indeed a year of mourning for the college, because in addition to the Principal's decease, the board of governors had lost some of its most prominent members.

He thereupon called upon Mr. Wm. Birks to voice the appreciation of those who had lived for others and had died lamented by those who had learnt to appreciate them in business, in charity and in personal friendship. Mr. Birks, in naming the late Messrs. Morrice, Macaulay, Robertson and Robert Munro, proclaimed them as sincere and hopeful, faithful, yet unobtrusive, accomplishing their business and charitable works all the more nobly because of their close connection with the church.

Changes in Faculty Work.

Dr. Fraser arose once more to announce the changes in the work of the Faculty, necessitated by Dr. Scrimger's death. He stated, too, that there were forty men already registered in the college—a lean year, yet only to be expected because of the call to arms, which had been answered by no less than seventeen of the Presbyterian students. The acting Principal then named these men fighting for King and country, saying that the college was proud of those who had thus seen fit to make the supreme sacrifice.

Next as chairman he introduced to the audience the Rev. George Duncan, of St. Andrew's Church of Scotland, as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Duncan, he said, had always shown great interest in the education of theological students.

Dr. Scrimger's Life.

The speaker began modestly by offering an apology for his unpreparedness. The invitation, he said, was a signal honor, as unexpected as it was undeserved. In a word, he commended Dr. Fraser for the dignity and grace with which he filled the Principal's chair. Then turning to the students, he told them that they had the best set of professors that any college could ever wish for. "I know them all personally, and I congratulate you in being privileged to receive your training from them," he said.

Thus introducing himself, the eminent Scotsman began in his own eloquent and impressive way an address which will be long remembered by his audience. Taking Dr. Scrimger's life as an illustration, he pointed out that the late Principal had found evidence of Christ's value in the lives of men by his own personal experience. Dr. Scrimger, he said, taught broad and comprehensive views of the Kingdom

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R.V.C '16 MEETS

Election of Class Officers is Held Yesterday at Class Meeting.

At a class meeting of R. V. C. '16, yesterday, the following were chosen to fill the positions for the coming year: President, Miss Mabel Corner; vice-president, Miss Evelyn Lipsett; secretary, Miss Pearl Burrell; representative vice-president, Miss Annie Younger. The meeting then adjourned.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
Graduates, Montreal, \$2.50; elsewhere, \$3.00.
Undergraduates who have not paid the universal fee, \$1.50.

R.V.C. '15 OFFICERS ELECTED.

A meeting of R. V. C. '15 was held yesterday for the purpose of electing officers for 1915-16. Miss Grace Prowse presided. Miss Grace Gardner was appointed president; Miss Florence Walker, vice-president, and Miss Sally Cameron, secretary. Miss Sally Cameron was also returned as manager of the class tennis team.

UNIVERSITY LECTURE

Dean R. W. Lee Will Speak on "Legal Education, Old and New."

The annual University lecture for the session of 1915-16 will be delivered in the Royal Victoria College this afternoon at 5 o'clock by Dean Lee, of the Faculty of Law, who will take as his subject "Legal Education, Old and New." Students are especially invited to attend this lecture, which is annual.

OPEN SEASON FOR FRESHIES INAUGURATED

Sophomores Commence Education of Newcomers by a Dancing Lesson Uptown.

FALL STYLES IN PYJAMAS

Freshies, Arrayed in Night Clothes, are Forced to Serenade the R.V.C.

Last night was the scene of a small freshmen innovation. It originated at Strathcona Hall, where the freshmen were brought to the ground floor and then transferred to the far end of the campus. Here they were re-robed in pajamas, with a sign-board at the front of the procession, "Freshie Wants Mamma," and another sign-board at the back with "Freshie Wants His Milk Bottle." After a few small scraps and decoration of the said freshies' faces with shoe polish, they were marched over to the Wesleyan College, where several more were added to their numbers. They were all tied up and taught to yell their own little yell, which went as follows:

Infants, infants, one and all,
Soothing syrup when we bawl;
Good for nothing, green as grass,
McGill, 1919, baby class!

This parade then went along Milton, down Park avenue, along Sherbrooke to the R. V. C. All along this route they were made to give this yell, but they increased the volume of sound when they reached the R. V. C. Well, naturally, they could not help but do so.

Doings at the "Palm Garden."

After several other yells the procession went down along St. Catherine street to Mansfield street, where, the freshies were unhitched and then taken over to the Palm Garden. Here they were made to dance to the music, and then the whole gathering gave various yells and drank much wet stuff. During all this time a large crowd had collected, and the Palm Garden was packed. It was noticed that the freshies took everything in good part, and every one had a good time.

The proceedings closed with the singing of "Alma Mater," after which the procession re-formed and marched along St. Catherine street to Phillips Square, where the freshies were let loose after a final rendering of their yell.

More interesting doings are confidently expected in the near future.

COURTNEY NOT TO COACH.

Ithaca, N.Y., Oct. 6.—Cornell University oarsmen will practise on the inlet this fall without the personal supervision of Coach C. E. Courtney. This is the first time in years Coach Courtney has not had charge of the men. Assistant Coach John Boyle will direct the work. More than one hundred candidates have registered for the crew.

FRESHMAN'S BIBLE POPULAR AS EVER

McGill Handbook Has Been Placed in the Hands of Students.

The McGill Hand-book — Freshman's Bible — has been published this year as usual and is ready for distribution.

For the benefit of first year men it may be said that this book is published annually by the Young Men's Christian Association, primarily for the edification of the new men at college. It contains a history of McGill in brief, the McGill Yell and all the popular College songs; also information concerning all the leading student organizations, societies, clubs and sports, and the names of the officers in charge of these. In addition the Hand-book contains a diary, blank pages for addresses and telephone numbers, and fall and winter schedules for lectures.

The success or failure financially, involved in the publication of this volume depends largely upon the amount of advertising matter obtained. Last spring it was foreseen that it would be difficult to get the usual number of advertisements, yet when the opinion of the student body was asked it became evident that the book was invaluable. This led to its being republished and it is hoped that the distribution will be large.

GOOD WORK OF MCGILL Y.M.C.A. AT THE FRONT

Reports From France Contains Much News About Hospital.

ALL MEN IN GOOD HEALTH

Funds Are Necessary to Secure General Supplies and Comforts for Wounded.

Last April, before Colonel Birkett's Hospital Corps set sail for England, a branch of McGill Y.M.C.A. was organized as a voluntary association for the purpose of providing comforts for the unit, and the wounded soldiers in their care.

A strong executive was elected with Colonel Birkett as patron and honorary president. From the start Colonel Birkett did all in his power to help the men, with the result that the McGill Y.M.C.A. field branch left Montreal with quite a complete camp equipment.

This has been very considerably augmented since the stay in England and now in France, they have a big marquee with reading and writing material sufficient for the whole unit. They run a bank deposit and stamp business; they have an extensive library, a camp organ and hymn books, all latest magazines, and in addition carry a supply of socks, towels, handkerchiefs, etc., for needy cases.

The general secretary, E. A. Corbett, receives a monthly report of their work, and so far has been able to raise enough money to supply their demands.

The last report was sent in a few weeks ago, and is given in full below:

Crossing to France.

France, July 28th, 1915.
A continuation of our report, this time of the progress of affairs and outline of adventure of the McGill Y.M.C.A. Field Branch since we left England and while we were getting settled in France.

Shortly after the posting of the last report we received orders to be all packed. Then on a Monday night, about the time for "last post," we were told to get into our clothes preparatory to leaving at once. Many of the fellows did leave at once for duty at the station, while the others slept in full marching order. The Y.M. was packed and ready as far as the small amount of supplies went. These supplies were carried along with the quartermaster's stores.

The corps first stopped at Southampton and there had a real "whale of a time." Of course, there was fatigue duty for everybody sometime or other, and the Y.M. men were there to load the boat, etc., as required. Our temporary camp was on the Common at the Rest Camp. Right handy was a Y.M.C.A. hut and a St. John's Ambulance hut. These treated us royally. At the St. John's Hut we were given free "cots" and the Y.M.C.A. was planning a banquet for us. Lord Radstock was to be the chairman. Our officers were to be invited. You know about this from a previous letter. It fell through owing to early departure but in place we were given fruit to eat as we left the harbor. This kindness on the part of the Y.M. and St. John's Ambulance is only indicative of the general feeling of the townsfolk towards us and all of us appreciated it very much.

Field Branch Active.

Here in our permanent camp the Field Branch has been quite active. Writing paper and ink was supplied as heretofore. Magazines were left for use; also newspapers were distributed to as many as possible. But these for a while were far from enough to meet the demands of the men. There existed almost a famine for reading matter. But for some days past this has been changing. The Y.M. with its usual energy wrote to most of the leading publications in England for assistance. Many of these responded liberally. Thus, with some supplies sent by other friends the need has been partially met.

An enclosed letter will show you that we are soon to be in possession of a small library of popular fiction. This is to be augmented by a recent order for more books. In spite of our own need we have been able to supply some old magazines to those who were not on almost but altogether without anything to read. When we have patients the need will be greater than ever, but we hope to be able to meet it.

For the first two Sundays here we felt the need of a real religious service. True, we could "dress up" and go to services in other lines, but somehow the right atmosphere did not exist. But the Religious Secretary was ready. You do not need a house to worship. What could be better than a meeting held under the roof of heaven? There was no organ, no piano, just an accordion and someone to set the tune. Everybody could come in their fatigue suits and be at ease. Prayer, hymns, and a snappy talk made up the service. There were only two of these services held while the sun was going down and out on the hillsides, but they were much appreciated and well attended. The speaker on one occasion was Sgt. Harold White and A. L. Richards. Sgt. Gulon deserves much credit for achieving this result.

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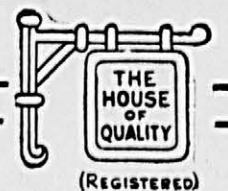
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W. M. Mazur, one of the members of Arts '17, left last night for Kingston, where he will complete his Arts 'ing was converted during the summer months into a Red Cross work-room.

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Founder's Day

To-day appears in the University as Founder's Day. It is the 171st anniversary of the birth at Glasgow, Scotland, of the Hon. James McGill, founder of the University which bears his name and which has risen from humble beginnings to a commanding position among the educational institutions of not only Canada, but of the British Empire at large.

The history of McGill is one of steady, persistent progress in spite of periods of difficulty which threatened the existence of the University and all but resulted in disaster. One of the merchant princes of Canada as it was then constituted, James McGill made a point of cultivating the society of the few men of learning then residing in Montreal and it was doubtless through discussions with these men that the establishment of McGill was brought about. With a Royal charter secured and promises of support, the college at first gave the appearance of great vigor and strength. The opening meeting held in Burnside House on October 5th, 1829, nine years after the granting of the charter, was largely attended and a broad and liberal spirit prevailed everywhere even at this embryonic stage. The Faculty of Arts at the time consisted of the Principal and two professors, and on the same day the Montreal Medical Institute was united to the University, becoming the Faculty of Medicine.

A long period of stress ensued, during twenty years the Faculty of Medicine alone exhibiting signs of life and vigor. At length in 1850, a number of benefactors in Montreal attempted to battle with the question and as the result of an amended charter, the University was placed on a sound basis. It is at this point that the modern history of McGill begins.

When the Honourable Mr. McGill laid down his pen after drawing up the will which provided for the transfer of his property of "Burnside" and of the sum of £10,000 to form a college in a Provincial University, the erection of which had already been taken care of by the British Government, he could scarcely have had any conception of the ultimate result of his efforts in behalf of education. Whatever he may have dreamed, it is sure that never did he think that from the small and unimportant college which was founded through the provisions of his will, there would rise the University whose place among the leading institutions of the kind now receives world-wide recognition.

It is a far cry from the college dreamed of by James McGill to fill the need of the province to the University which has grown up through the years. But there is a Greater McGill to follow, a Greater McGill which is being kept constantly in view by those in charge of the direction of affairs at the present time, men who realize that in the future McGill's field of utility must ever be broadening with the advancement of our young nation. "If the future may be anticipated as in the past," said Sir William Dawson forty-five years ago, "McGill's utility will in time to come go on increasing and widening, growing with the growth of our country, and pervading all departments of useful and honorable occupation. An endowment of this kind is, probably, of all investments of money, that which yields the richest returns and most surely advances the welfare of mankind. The experience of older nations has shown that such endowments survive changes of religion, of dynasty, of social and political systems, and go on bearing fruit from age to age. It will doubtless be so here also, and the time will come when the original endowment of McGill will appear but as the little germ from which a great tree has sprung—the spring which gives birth to the mighty river."

And these words it might be well to bear in mind this Founder's Day.

Join the McGill Battalion

Nearly one thousand McGill undergraduates are now serving their King and Country at the front. McGill has trained and sent overseas about nine hundred men in the Universities Companies; she has equipped and stationed in France one of the best General Hospitals now doing work at the front. This is a reputation of which any University might well be proud. What is the present generation of students going to do to keep up this reputation?

The McGill C.O.T.C. will begin active work next week. Men wishing to become officers will be able to qualify; those desirous of becoming efficient N.C.O.'s will be given a chance to do so, while those men not anxious to pursue either one of the above courses will be given work designed to make them efficient soldiers ready for any emergency which might occur.

For the general body of students only the slacker can find an excuse why he should not take advantage of the above courses. So far this session the student body, as a whole, has not shown sufficient interest in the work of the C.O.T.C.

We want to have a first class Battalion this year, so find your way over to the C.O.T.C. headquarters as soon as possible.

RECEPTION TO-NIGHT

First Year Arts, Law and Theology at
Strathcona Hall To-Night.

The first of the annual freshmen's reception will be held to-night at Strathcona Hall. The reception is for the first year men in the Faculties of Arts, Law and the Theological colleges affiliated with McGill. To-morrow night the freshmen of Science, Medicine and Dentistry will be entertained. In past years the functions have been very successful, and as they afford a unique opportunity for new students to meet the other members of their year, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

THANKSGIVING SUPPER.

Annual Event to Take Place at Strathcona Hall Monday Evening.
The annual Thanksgiving supper for students whose homes are outside the city will be held as usual at Strathcona Hall next Monday evening, commencing at 6.30. The supper is held under the auspices of the social committee of the McGill Y.M.C.A., of which L. H. Derr, ScI., '17, is chairman.

THE MACCABEAN CIRCLE.

The Maccabean Circle will hold its first meeting on Sunday, October 10, at 2.30 p.m., at the Royal Arcanum Chambers, 22 Union Avenue. All members and prospective members are requested to attend.

NOMINATIONS.

All nominations for vacancies in the Science Undergraduate Society must be handed into the President, W. Sutherland, not later than Tuesday, October the 12th.

DEAN'S TWO SONS ON FIRING LINE

Dean Moyse Delivers Annual Address to Freshmen in Arts.

At the close of the first lecture in English literature yesterday, Dean Moyse gave his customary address to the First Year Arts students. After welcoming the class he mentioned that it was his thirty-eighth session at the University, and owing to his great experience with college men he hoped that anyone in difficulty, especially personal difficulty, would not hesitate to come to him. He also added that there would be a special advisor for each group of ten students.

The Dean said that though he had had a holiday it had not been without anxieties as two of his sons were at the firing line. He hoped that all the students felt what a serious thing the war was, and understood that Great Britain was not fighting for gain, but for righteousness and for the rights of the smaller nations. He mentioned that there were a thousand McGill men in uniform, and he thought that with regard to the war McGill led Canadian Universities.

The Dean closed by stating that it gave him great pleasure to see the class and he hoped that it would keep up the reputation of McGill.

WATER POLO WILL BE PLAYED AGAIN

Practice Work for McGill Teams Soon to be Resumed.

A meeting of the Canadian Aquatic Polo Association was held on Monday evening in the M.A.A.A. Club House, and a schedule of games drawn up for the year. Owing to the number of swimmers who have gone overseas, the league is much handicapped this year, McGill, M.A.A.A. and M.S.C. being the only clubs to enter teams.

The following schedule was drawn up:

Oct. 19—M.A.A.A. at M.S.C.
Oct. 21—McGill at M.A.A.A.
Oct. 25—McGill at M.S.C.
Oct. 29—M.S.C. at M.A.A.A.
Nov. 3—M.A.A.A. at McGill.
Nov. 10—M.S.C. at McGill.

This schedule calls for both intermediate and senior games on the same night. The McGill teams have suffered several losses since last year, and if it is going to have championship teams, the new fellows must turn out. Practice dates will be arranged for, and both teams must get busy immediately. New men desiring to turn out should report to Manager Pengetley or "Slim" Patterson right away. The practice hours will be announced later in the Daily.

ALL OFFICERS ARE SERVING OVERSEAS

Junior Year Will Hold Meeting at the Hall Friday Afternoon.

For the simple reason that all the officers of the year which were elected last session are now absent from college through service with the forces overseas, it becomes a necessity for the Junior year to return a new set of men to take office, and this will be done at a meeting of the year to be held in Strathcona Hall on Friday, at five o'clock.

W. Sutherland, president of '16, will take the chair until a new president is returned. A full attendance is requested as several matters of importance will arise for discussion, including the "Annual" and the Junior Dance.

A meeting of Sci. '17 will be held at 4 p.m., Thursday, in Room 33, of the Engineering Building, to elect officers for the coming year and also to nominate representatives to fill the vacancies in the Science Undergraduate Society.

MR. JUSTICE CROSS RESIGNS HIS CHAIR

Duties Will be Temporarily Assumed by S. Dale Harris.

After four years' service as professor of commercial law at the University, Hon. Mr. Justice Cross has asked to be relieved of his duties, and his resignation has been accepted by the board of governors. The latter received Hon. Mr. Justice Cross's resignation with great regret, and a cordial vote of thanks was passed at a recent meet in appreciation of the retiring professor's services.

Although no successor has been appointed to take Mr. Justice Cross's place, it is understood that Mr. S. L. Dale-Harris will act as professor of commercial law during the coming session.

QUEEN'S PLAY CITY LEAGUE.

Although Queen's have not definitely decided what course shall be adopted regarding rugby it is likely only city league games will be played if any.

PRINCIPAL GORDON CONDUCTS MEMORIAL SERVICE AT QUEEN'S

Impressive Service in Memory of Queen's Dead—Many Students Attend at Grant Hall to Hear Touching and Inspiring Address—Late Chancellor Spoken of in High Degree.

In memory of the dead of their Alma Mater, the student body of Queen's University assembled on Sunday morning in Convocation Hall at the first memorial service held in the University since the death of Sir Sandford Fleming, for 35 years Chancellor of the institution, and that of Hon. Justice Maclellan, the late chairman of the Board of Trustees.

The services were in commemoration of these lamented dignitaries, and of the students and graduates of Queen's who have laid down their lives in glorious sacrifice for the cause of the Empire in the present war.

The students' choir sang impressively, and the imposing university service conducted under the direction of the principal, Dr. Gordon, who delivered an inspiring sermon from two texts in Hebrews, "Be it he, being dead, yet speaketh," and "We are compassed about by so great a cloud of witnesses."

Principal Gordon dealt with the aspects and relations of faith, emphasizing the truth that there is a constant appeal from the past to the present, and from those we call dead to those visibly alive.

Sir Sandford Fleming.

Since the men of Queen's last met in Convocation Hall, we have sustained a great loss by the death of our distinguished Chancellor, for 35 years the holder of the highest office in the gift of the University. In his ripe years he impressed us all as one stalwart in spirit as in stature. Indeed, said the speaker, he could not have accomplished so much had he not been exceptionally strong, for he left to his credit several great achievements, any one of which might well have given him a lasting reputation. Of Scottish birth, Chancellor Fleming dwelt in Canada from his eighteenth year, coming here in 1845. He was chosen by the Imperial and Provincial Governments as engineer-in-chief of the Intercolonial Railway when he was 36 years old; and before that undertaking was completed he was made chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway. To him is due much of the practical working out of the world-wide adoption of the system of standard time, and it is to him that Canada owes its Pacific cable connection with the Antipodes. Great achievements as these must be counted. Those who knew him best think even more of the greatness of the man himself in his nobility of character, his purity of conduct, his breadth of sympathy and his unselfishness of service.

Mr. Justice Maclellan.

Principal Gordon adverted to the close connection with the work of the

late Chancellor by the late Hon. Justice Maclellan, who for 24 years was chairman of the board of trustees of the University, holding that office for a longer period than any other man. His strong, upright and charitable spirit was sustained throughout his life by the help of the Highest, while of both it might be said that they walked as seeing Him who is invisible.

Those Who Fell in Battle.

While to-day, said the speaker, the men of Queen's gratefully recall the work and influence of those who remained with us to a ripe old age, we would no less gratefully remember our young brothers who have, in recent months, fallen in defence of our country and our Empire. Calvin Day, Herkimir Stewart and Cassels Buchanan were personally known to many of those present at the service, and every one who knew them esteemed them. Though Buchanan did not fall in action like the others, yet none the less he, too, gave up his life for us. These, like so many other noble souls, were caught up by that splendid current of sacrifice which flows through the life of our nation to-day as it never flowed before.

Are we worthy, concluded Dr. Gordon, of that sacrifice? Are we sharing that spirit?

"For all through life I see a cross Where sons of God yield up their breath;

Here is no gain except by loss, There is no life, except by death, There is no vision, but by faith, Nor glory, but by bearing shame, Nor justice, but by taking blame; And that Eternal Passion saith, 'Be emptied of glory and right and name.'"

Principal Gordon went on to say that the Hebrew writer, in using the word "witness," connected it with the word "martyr," and pointed out that the term came to bear its present accepted meaning through those who bore testimony for their faith even unto death, even as did He whom men rightly call the Saviour. To the Hebrew writer those believers whose testimony was so helpful to him were no mere names or memories or traditions, but living forces whose influence entered into his own heart and life. They made plain to him the nature of trust in God and the power of prayer. Spiritual service of that kind seems to overlap the centuries as if they were but a span, and to unite past and present in the fellowship of Him who is the same yesterday, to-day and forever. These reflections, said Dr. Gordon, seem not unfitting at this time when we think of those who have recently passed from us.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION HOURS ARE ANNOUNCED IN STATEMENT

All Students Entering Upon Courses of Study Are Required to Pass Examination Conducted by the Medical Director or Will Not be Allowed to Attend the University.

The following statement was issued from the Registrar's Office yesterday:

All men students who are commencing a course of study in the University are required to be physically examined. This examination will be conducted in the C.O.T.C. headquarters, the Joseph House, 425 Sherbrooke street west, on the days and hours specified below. Students who have not been examined (or who have not otherwise satisfied the medical director by November 1) will not be allowed to attend the University.

1. For Students in Arts and Applied Science—Hours of Examination from 4 to 6 p.m.

Men whose surnames begin with A	Tuesday, October 12
Men whose surnames begin with B	Thursday, October 14
Men whose surnames begin with C	Friday, October 15
Men whose surnames begin with D E F	Monday, October 18
Men whose surnames begin with G H	Tuesday, October 19
Men whose surnames begin with I J K	Thursday, October 21
Men whose surnames begin with L M	Friday, October 22
Men whose surnames begin with Mac	Monday, October 25
Men whose surnames begin with N O P	Tuesday, October 26
Men whose surnames begin with Q R S	Thursday, October 28
Men whose surnames begin with T U V	Friday, October 29

2. For Students in Law and Medicine—Hours of Examination from 6 to 6.30 p.m.

Men whose surnames begin with A B	Tuesday, October 12
Men whose surnames begin with C D	Thursday, October 14
Men whose surnames begin with E F G H I J	Friday, October 15
Men whose surnames begin with K L	Monday, October 18
Men whose surnames begin with M	Tuesday, October 19
Men whose surnames begin with N R	Thursday, October 21
Men whose surnames begin with S	Friday, October 22
Men whose surnames begin with T V W	Monday, October 25

C. OF T. ATHLETES

MUST NOT WANDER.

The attention of students in drawn in the latest issue of "Varsity" to the regulation of the University of Toronto to Association to the effect that "any undergraduate playing with any team other than a University team during the academic year, in any form of athletics, in any recognized league, union or association, or in any championship match shall stand suspended from further participation in University athletics until reinstated by the directorate."

In view of existing conditions, says the college journal, and the suspension of intercollegiate athletics during the present session, it is the desire of the Athletic Association that all senior players should take an active interest in their own interfaculty teams. In this way an impetus will be given to interfaculty contests and the standard of these games materially improved. It is the duty of every student to loyally support the Athletic Association of his faculty or college at the present time.

The discontinuance of intercollegiate teams will not necessarily mean that colors will not be awarded. It will be the policy of the directorate as in the past to grant colors to athletes showing marked ability in the various branches.

FIRE-PROOF CELLULOID.

Tokio, Japan, Oct. 4.—Fire-proof celluloid is said to have been produced by Sadakichi Sato, assistant professor in the College of Science of the North-Eastern University. In view of the increasing demand for celluloid, this discovery has already resulted, says a report, in unsolicited donations from the public, to the amount of 15,000 yen, for the further prosecution of the work. Regarding this news, Dr. Takamatsu, of the Engineering Experiment Station, is reported as saying that while absolutely fire-proof celluloid seems impossible from the very nature of the original materials, even so little an improvement in the quality as to make it comparatively slow to take fire, will be of great advantage in the manufacture of celluloid articles. To-day, celluloid is made only by the Mitsui firm, and the production compares favorably with the imported article, if it has not reached the stage where we can dispense with imported celluloid altogether. Celluloid is manufactured by working cotton or wood pulp with nitric acid, which is further worked with alcohol, ether or camphor oil, and it is said cannot be fire-proof like asbestos. If Mr. Sato's claim be true, however, it will affect the celluloid industry in this country to a very great extent.

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If you come in after a long wet march — do not attempt to dry the boots with heat — (it makes the leather hard and brittle) — give them a good coating of dubbin and they will be alright. Sometimes shoes seem to rub in one place, making sore heels, or chafing across the bend of the foot. The best thing to do is get heavy wrapping paper and fold several thicknesses into convenient size and put next to the skin. The pressure will stop and in a few days the shoe will not hurt any more.

For sore feet: soak feet for 15 minutes (on retiring) with pinch of permanganate of potash in water. Always use good leather laces, and to make a secure knot, which is easy to undo, wrap one lace twice over the other, making a long flat twist, and then repeat making a double twist. This knot will not slip.

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The above lines describe a stirring scene from "The Lily of Poverty Flat," taken from Bret Harte's Poems, which will be shown at The Colonial all this week, along with Charles Chaplin in "The Bank" and "The Face on the Bar Room Floor."

AT THE IMPERIAL.

A varied programme of motion pictures is being shown at the Imperial. The chief attraction on Wednesday and Thursday is a four-part Broadway picture entitled "The Barnstormers." This pictures deals with theatrical life and will prove very interesting. Geo. Ade's tables and Pathe's mid-week news will also be shown. The special picture that will be shown on Friday and Saturday is entitled "Oil and Water."

The International Four, a musical organization, which is playing its first Montreal engagement, were well received. Miss Gordon, who sang Imperial some months ago, is a return engagement.

LIEUT. HIGGINS IS RECRUITING FOR UNIVERSITY CO'Y

For the Fourth Universities Company Throughout the Maritime Provinces.

The Fourth Overseas Company is being recruited very quickly, as evidenced by the fact that eight recruits came in yesterday. Among those enlisting were four "Varsity men" from Toronto, namely: C. H. Wright, G. C. Ellis, A. B. Noad and C. G. Ritter. W. MacLure and E. A. James also signed up, while one Montreale, a hardy Scotsman, G. S. Morgan, joined yesterday. James Henry Currie also banded in his name, which is well known on account of his connection with MacDonald College, where he has been holding the position of assistant principal.

Among other recruits this unit has been fortunate enough to include R. H. MacClean, a doctor in dentistry, so that members of the company need not worry from lack of tooth-pulling facilities.

Football has been much in vogue lately with the Fourth Universities men, and they are very lucky in having in their midst two one-time members of the M.A.A.A. team, D. Graham and N. Gammell.

Yesterday morning being so wet, the instruction of the unit consisted of a lecture on signalling, map reading, cooking and camping on the march. The afternoon was spent on outpost work on the mountain and Fletcher's Field.

Lieut. Higgins has left for a recruiting tour of the Maritime Provinces in order to get university men of that section of the country to enlist in the Fourth Overseas. The lieutenant intends to visit Dalhousie at Halifax, Acadia at Wolfville, St. Francis Xavier at Antigonish, and he also intends to visit the towns of Sydney, St. John, N.B., and Fredericton's Department of Agriculture. It is expected that this trip will result in bringing the complement of the company nearly up to full strength.

THE TIME OF HIS LIFE

Pte. Harold Griffiths, With No. 6 Field Ambulance, Enjoys Soldiering.

Private Harold Griffiths, of the 6th Field Ambulance, writing from a barn in France under date of September 20 to E. A. Corbett, general secretary of the McGill Y.M.C.A., says that the unit expected to go into action very shortly, and that all the men were fit and ready for service. He states that the rations which are provided the men in France are much superior in quality to those which they received in England.

"If this is war," Pte. Griffiths writes, "I am having the time of my life."

MOUNT ALLISON ENLISTING.

Ordinarily Mount Allison university has an attendance of about one hundred and fifty students. This year, in consequence of many of the boys enlisting, the registration numbers one hundred and that number is being further depleted by enlistment. So far eight of the present students have signed on while sixteen others have enlisted on condition that a Mount Allison platoon of fifty-five is formed. Arrangements may be made whereby the boys will be allowed to continue their studies here, at the same time undergoing military training.

DECREASE AT TORONTO.

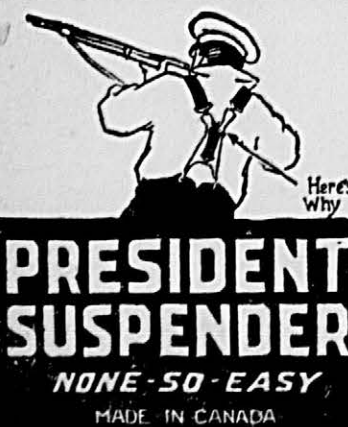
Figures to date show a decrease of around 30 per cent. in the registration at the University of Toronto, as compared with last year. Registration will not be completed until this afternoon.

At University College this year there are 832 students as against 964 last year; at Victoria College, 374 against 528 last year; studying medicine, 240 against 575 last year; arts course, 1460 as against 880 last year.

The total are: This year, 2906; last year, 3947, or a decrease of almost 30 per cent. Registrations yet to come, it is expected, will reduce this amount.

OLD MCGILL MEN AT THE FRONT.

The McGill Daily is desirous of publishing at an early date as complete a list as possible of McGill men, graduates, undergraduates or past students who are now serving with His Majesty's forces, either at the front or in training to proceed thither. Any information on the subject would be welcomed. Communications should be addressed to the Military Editor, McGill Daily, 328 Sherbrooke street west, Montreal.



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CERTIFICATE "B" MEN TO MEET.

Men of last year's C. O. T. C. who have completed their work for certificate "A" and who wish to proceed to certificate "B" are asked to meet Major McKergow and Capt. Heward at 5.15 to-morrow afternoon in room 33, Engineering Building.

HAVING HARD TIME AT DARDANELLES

Hospital Staff Breaks All Records in Handling the Wounded.

A graduate of McGill, who is at the Dardanelles with a hospital unit formerly stationed in France, writes as follows:

"France was a paradise compared to this hole. Napoleon was in Heaven at St. Helena in comparison with us. This is a rotten, barren hole—not a blade of grass or a house, no butter, no milk, no ice, rotten sour bread, and flies so thick you always carry a fly-swatter to keep them off."

"Here we are in tents; all our operating is done in tents. We broke all records two days after landing. We were receiving patients from the firing line, and within a few hours had nearly 500. We are likely to be here for the winter."

"Only another officer and myself have been free from sickness. We have a few nurses here, but they have all been sick, and will likely return to England. The roar of the guns almost deafens you at times. Here is another big bunch of shot and injured, so must leave."

FOURTH YEAR MEN MAY BE RETURNED

Proposal to Send Medical Students Back to Complete Studies.

There is a possibility that the fourth year men connected with the McGill Hospital may be brought back to complete their course. Col. Birkett received word from the War Office that he should have these men in readiness to sail early in September. But he pointed out several difficulties in connection with their transportation and maintenance while here. The matter is now before the Canadian Government and a definite announcement is being awaited for.

OFFICERS ELECTED

J. Nutter Chosen President of the Science Sophomores.

A meeting of Science '18 was held yesterday afternoon in the Engineering Building. The following officers were elected: President, J. Nutter; vice-president, G. Scott; secretary-treasurer, T. J. J. Fox; representative to Science Undergraduates' Society, C. Parke; captain of football team, G. Scott.

SCIENCE '19 MEETING

Small Majorities Return Officers of Freshman Class in Science.

Science '19 held its annual meeting in 33, Mr. A. S. Lamb, president of the Students' Council, occupied the chair until the election of the president.

Mr. E. Grace was the choice by a majority of two over Mr. Wilson. Upon his election Mr. Grace made a very suitable reply, thanking the class for the honor conferred upon him.

Mr. Heene was elected vice-president by a large majority, and Mr. Kirk was elected secretary-treasurer by a very small majority.

It was decided to elect the representatives to the Science Undergraduates' Society and the reporting staff of the McGill Daily at a future date.

Science '19 was represented by a small number, only 40 being present at the meeting.

WANTED TO ARREST EMPLOYEE OF UNION.

"All the nice dogs love the Union." Culyer and his staff know the truth of the foregoing, for rae is the day when they are not called upon to provide a meal for some stray animal. Recently the owner of one animal which attached itself to the Union staff threatened to summons Chapman to appear in the Police Court charged with harboring a dog. The woman was finally pacified and the dog gladly returned.

Y. W. C. A. WILL MEET.

A very important meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will be held to-morrow at 1 o'clock, in the Common Room. All second, third and fourth-year students are earnestly requested to attend. Business: Election of a new president.

SCIENCE '16.

The class of Science '16 will hold a meeting on Wednesday. Important business will include the election of officers.

FRESHMAN-SOPH. MEET TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 16th

Announcement That Big M's Will Be Awarded, Raises Interest in Sports.

Track season is now well underway. Already a number of the regular track men are turning out, and more are expected each day. The announcement in the opening number of the Daily that Sport's Day would be made the occasion of the formal opening of the new Stadium to the students, and that hence a capacity crowd could be expected, made a big difference in the enthusiasm shown by the track and field men. And now that all the grades of M's may be won in college athletics, or more specifically now that track men can still win their big M's, interest in the sport is bound to rise. Without exaggeration it may be said that an unusually successful year is looked forward to by the Track Club Executive.

The Freshmen-Sophomore Meet, which will be held at the Stadium on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 16, should be worth seeing. The freshmen are said to have a large year, comparatively at least, and they probably expect to clean up with ease on the second year men. In any case, it is only the best of these two years which can give the juniors any cause for anxiety as to the results of the inter-year competition on Sport's Day. The seniors, though they may be a strong football aggregation have little talent in that line of sports (track work) which requires brain as well as brawn.

Hence the result of the meet on the 16th should give an interesting forecast of the big struggle on the 22nd. And after all, it must be remembered that two of the very best men of the year '17 will not be back to help their old team this year. Dan Sutherland, and Al Heron, both intercollegiate champions in their lines, have left college, the latter having enlisted, and the former having taken a position as shell-inspector down east. However, '17 still stands out as the probable champions, and at the very least can be counted upon to put up a hard fight to hold their present title.

STUDENTS' SOCIETY MEETING ON THE 20th

Election of New Presidents for Track and Hockey Clubs to be Held.

The annual meeting of the Students' Society is scheduled to be held at the McGill Union, on October 20, when in addition to the usual business, which comes before that body, the election of new presidents for the Track and Hockey Clubs, will be dealt with. Dan M. Sutherland, president of the former, and intercollegiate weight champion, has not returned to college, while C. J. Kendall, president of the Hockey Club, is with No. 3 (McGill) General Hospital on Overseas service. It is customary to elect three officers at meetings of the clubs affected, but it is thought that by taking advantage of the larger representation of students which is bound to be at the annual Students' Society Meeting, a more satisfactory result will be attained. Every student paying the universal fee is a member of each of these clubs.

PENGELLY MARRIED

United in Marriage to Dr. Taylor, of Battle Creek, Mich., Sanitarium.

Charles E. Pengelly, a popular member of the class of Medicine '17, has been receiving the glad hand from scores of his acquaintances since returning to college because of his marriage this summer to Dr. Taylor, of the Battle Creek, Mich., Sanitarium, a graduate of Dublin. Pengelly, was acting this summer as instructor in the outdoor gymnasium at the Sanitarium and met Dr. Taylor in the course of his duties. Pengelly was a member of the McGill swimming and water polo teams and is connected with various other student activities.

HINTS TO FRESHIES

R.V.C. Sophomores Give Warning to Underclassmen of Something Doing.

As many freshies came to the R.V.C. this year, lacking the proper dignity of first-year students, the sophomores put up a notice to the following effect:

ATTENTION, FRESHIES!

Put up your hair or wear in two pig-tails tied with green bows. Remember! Initiation!

By order, SOPHOMORES.

REV. DR. GORDON RETURNS.

Rev. Dr. A. R. Gordon, of the staff of the Montreal Presbyterian College, returned yesterday from furlough in Great Britain and the Continent.

PAY FOR SPRING TRAINING CAMP.

Members of last year's C. O. T. C. who attended the spring training camp at Niagara are entitled to pay and allowances may obtain the same upon application at the Orderly Room of the C. O. T. C., between the hours of 10 and 12.30 a.m. and 3 and 5 p.m.

SANITARY CORPS SENT FROM HERE

Major Starkey Raised Thirty McGill Men for Royal Army Medical Corps.

Although at McGill popular interest in the sending of men overseas has centred around the formation of the four Universities companies, yet it must not be forgotten that we have dispatched another corps equally as important. A sanitary section of the R. A. M. C. was raised at McGill by Major Starkey, Professor of Hygiene, and proceeded to the front about the middle of June. The section was composed of about thirty men, mostly undergraduates and graduates of McGill.

The main duties of the corps is to look after the water and well supplies, the sewerage systems and the general sanitary arrangements at the field bases and on the lines of communications.

The men forming the corps are as follows: O. C., Major T. A. Starkey; staff sergeant, F. G. M. Williams; corporal, R. W. Maynard; lance-corporal, P. F. Seymour; and Privates D. Blunn, L. P. Brown, L. R. Bause, W. B. R. P. Cromarty, J. Dick, J. Duncan, K. Campbell, N. I. Chipman, B. Cooke, R. P. Cromarty, J. Dick, J. Duncan, K. H. S. Hague, E. W. Haines, W. G. Hardy, E. W. Harper, F. C. Hembling, R. W. Heward, J. A. Labelle, R. S. O'Meara, and A. E. Pearce.

The corps forms a part of the Royal Army Medical Corps.

COLLEGE TEAMS HAVE MUCH WORK AHEAD OF THEM

The Results of Contests Show 4 Elevens Are Still Far From Championship Class.

Judging from the results of the football games which were played by the American eastern college teams Saturday, this week is going to be a very strenuous one for the coaches and players of more than one of the big teams. Although only two games have been played by most of the colleges, the season is rapidly approaching the games of the championship class and there is not a single team in the East that has as yet shown marked ability. While conditions which prevailed Saturday were far from such as would give the coaches a very good line on what their teams could do under favorable conditions, there is no denying the fact that more than one big eleven failed to come up to expectations. Probably the most pronounced case of the day was the victory of the University of Virginia over Yale by a score of 10 to 0. Last year Yale won by 21 to 0 and the Ell followers were looking for as good a result this year. Yale's defeat was due primarily to weakness in fundamentals, a condition which was more or less prevalent in the 1914 team. A poor pass by the centre and a fumble by Captain Wilson were the direct means of Virginia securing the victory. The line also failed to come up to expectations. The result means some hard work for coaches and players alike during the next few days.

Harvard hardly came up to expectations in the game with Massachusetts A. C., although the Crimson secured a victory through the individual work of her two ends, Harte and Soucy, and the interference of several of the linemen when the chance came to score. What the Crimson might have done under better playing conditions cannot be stated, but it must be admitted that the players showed marked improvement in the fundamentals of the game and this is fully as encouraging as the victory is satisfying to the Crimson.

Princeton, Pennsylvania and Cornell came through their games in satisfactory style, each securing a good victory. The showing of Princeton was very pleasing to the Orange and Black as Rutgers had a powerful and well-balanced eleven. Dartmouth showed good form against Maine, coming within three points of the score Yale made against the same team on the previous Saturday. Tufts opened with a good victory over Norwich. Brown had to be contented with a no-score game against Trinity, a not very satisfactory result to the Providence university, with a 14 to 0 defeat.

West Point and Annapolis met teams that gave them all or more than they could handle successfully. West Point succeeded in securing a 14 to 14 tie with Holy Cross while Georgetown defeated the midshipmen 9 to 0. Head Coach Daly has some strenuous work ahead of him to get the cadets up to the standard of 1914, while the same may be said of the Annapolis coaches.

LETTERS FROM MCGILL MEN.

Letters from or news of McGill men at the front or in training to proceed there will always find a welcome place in the columns of the McGill Daily. Such communications should be addressed to the Military Editor. Original manuscripts, if desired, will be preserved and returned to the sender.

NEWS OF STUDENT SOLDIERS LEAVING OVERSEAS SERVICE

Aviation Popular Branch of the Service With Enlisting Students.

Lieut. W. H. Biggar, Arts '17, is serving as instructor at the School of Instruction for the Army Service Corps at Quebec. Lieut. Biggar left college late last session to qualify for a commission in the Army Service Corps, and is now in sole charge of instruction at the School.

E. C. Lyons, Sci. '15, enlisted in June in the Divisional Signal Company attached to the Depot of Engineers at Rockcliffe Camp, Ottawa. He has attained the rank of lance-corporal and expects to leave overseas service within the next few weeks.

L. E. L. Koelle, Arch '17, has received the provisional rank of lieutenant in the 5th Royal Scots, and is in training at the Bleury street Armouries.

Frank McGill, Comm. '12, and H. A. Peck, Arch. '11, are at the Central Flying School, Hants, England, receiving final training in aviation before leaving for the front, as flight sub-lieutenants in the Royal Naval Air Service. Both received instruction and passed the required examination of the Thomas Flying School, Ithaca, N.Y., during the summer.

G. R. Caverhill, Arts '17, Orderly Room Sergeant of the Auxiliary Battalion, C.O.T.C., and the Billy Sunday of the C.O.T.C. Spring Training Camp at Niagara, leaves next week for Quebec to take a course at the Army Service Corps school there. Graham F. Towers, Arts '17, and Edward Womham, Arts '18, will also take the course at the School of Instruction with a view to qualifying for overseas service.

Gerald A. Magor, Arts '17, president of his class and a member of the intermediate football team last year, leaves on Saturday to attend the Wright School of Aviation at Dayton, Ohio, to take a course in flying.

Lieut. C. J. Tidmarsh, Arts '16, representative of Arts in the Students' Council, and president of the McGill Daily, has received a commission in the 8th Grenadier Guards, C.E.F., in charge of the signal section. He was last year signalling officer and a platoon commander in the McGill Contingent, C.O.T.C.

Norman B. Allan, Arts '18, better known throughout college as "Fat" attended the School of Artillery at Bartfield Camp, Kingston, during the summer, and qualified for a commission in a Toronto battery of field artillery.

STUDENTS RESPOND TO MILITARY CALL AT ROCHESTER UNION

College is the First in the States to Form Voluntary Organization.

Rochester, Oct. 6.—Rochester now has the distinction of being the first college or university in the United States to organize a volunteer student military corps, which came to be a reality Monday afternoon, when some forty men expressed their desire for such an organization, and their willingness to back it and support it in every way possible, says the Campus. Captain Henry R. Allen (retired), of the National Guard and New York State Reserves, first gave a short address to the fellows who turned out in the gym. He said that the primary object in forming such a corps is for national defense, to train men who will be able to act as volunteer officers to train, in turn, the millions of ignorant volunteers who would immediately respond to a call if the country were invaded or threatened by the danger of invasion, for it is upon the volunteers that the nation would have to depend to save itself, for our regular army is woefully small and our militia regiments and separate companies are in such a disorganized and unprepared state, except in a few states like New York, that they would be but little better than untrained volunteers.

The War Department, clearly perceiving this dangerous situation, is endeavoring to remedy it in three ways. The first is by compulsory military training in the so-called land-grant colleges. These institutions, in return for free land, are required to give at least one hour a week of military training the able-bodied students. Cornell is one college in this class. The second is by means of the summer college-men's camps, which need no description, and the third is by encouraging the formation of rifle clubs, furnishing the members with rifles, and allowing them the use of the state and national ranges.

But the newly-formed volunteer corps in this college is a distinct innovation and undoubtedly will prove valuable in many ways to the nation, to the college, and to the individual. The first is obvious. The second may need some explanation, however. The corps will be a first-rate advertisement, as it is unique and very different from what any other college has. Furthermore, the prospect of military training, not merely mechanical drilling, but the interesting study of tactics, strategy, etc., will prove highly attractive to many young men. Finally as to the third point, every one knows the value of discipline and the highly beneficial physical results or military training.

ENLISTED WITH HIGHLANDERS.

J. W. Mills, Arts '18, has enlisted with the 73rd Highlanders for overseas service. He hails from Ormstown, Que.

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THEOLOGICAL COLLEGES ARE NOW OPENED

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of God, because of this experimental test. Reciting an incident from his own student days in Glasgow, when the famous scientist, Lord Kelvin, had addressed them on the subject of "The Fact of Christ," and had compared the attempt of the searcher for the authenticity of Christ to the geologist who tried to place every boulder or peculiar outcrop into some stratum. Kelvin's conclusion was that such boulders were fine to see from. So, said the speaker, are some of the facts in the life of Christ.

The White Invulnerable.

Then carrying this truth with him, Mr. Duncan proclaimed that we were on the eve of an interpretation of the universe that would not permit mankind to ignore the fact of Christ. As the nature was the outer voice of God, so Christ was the inner voice that appealed to the soul. To get then in touch with Christ was to get our eyes opened to the spiritual. Never was there a greater chance or a greater danger in undertaking the work of the ministry. People were more serious at the present moment and less diffident in speaking of divine things. The materialistic in life and religion was at this present time going up in smoke.

The speaker claimed, too, that Christ was present in the war to-day not only as the comrade in white invulnerable, but also in the hearts of those who fought for justice and right. Christ, he said, has come into His own. Men are going, living sacrifices, as Christ went to fight and to die. To-day, he said, the trench can teach the few, and woe be to the ecclesiastic who dared refuse Communion to any who had been purified and elevated by meeting Christ on the common ground of self-sacrifice.

Godliness—Humaneness.

This, Mr. Duncan proclaimed, was what Christ came for, not merely to save souls, but to enable them to save themselves in service. The Cross to-day stands for the antithesis of selfishness, and there is not a selfish man in Europe to-day. But the Cross is also God's sign of godliness. Therefore, said the speaker, after this war godliness will be humaneness. The Prussians say in effect to Christ, "Come down from the Cross and show us Thy glory." The Christian says, "Come not down, but remain in Thy supreme glory the Divine self-sacrifice." It is a case, the speaker continued, of the mailed fist against the mailed hand; of grab against give, and the Cross will be an anti-climax.

It is ours, Mr. Duncan concluded, to rise and help. Service is the highest expression of a spiritual life, and the only true blessedness lies in helping to bear the cross of some true saviour. The Cross is still worth living for. We are finding by this emblem that our soul as an Empire has awakened at the call of another's need. The day of a new world is at hand, and our dominion needs a call to dedicate its best to God as well as to its political aims.

Then dreams and realities will go hand in hand.

On the conclusion of Rev. Mr. Duncan's speech, the meeting was brought to a close by the singing of the national anthem and the pronouncing of the benediction.

The Diocesan College.

Classes at the Diocesan Theological College opened yesterday, but fifteen of the forty students who would ordinarily have attended are at the front, mostly in the trenches.

The formal opening takes place on Thursday evening in the Convocation Hall, at 8.15, when there will be a special convocation, at which the Lord Bishop will preside. The convocation address will be delivered by the Right Rev. A. J. Doull, Bishop of Kootenay, and the degree of Doctor of Divinity in Course will be conferred upon a former student of the college, the Rev. R. C. Blagrove, B.A., D.D., of Belleville, Ont. It is hoped that the Archbishop of Nova Scotia will be present to confer the degree in person.

The annual conference of the Alumni Association is now in session. Two quiet days are being conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop Doull, and on Thursday a programme of papers and discussions will be carried out in the Convocation Hall of the college. The Rev. J. E. Fice, M.A., rector of All Saints', is president of the association. The quiet days are open to all the clergy of the diocese, and are being attended by about ninety members, the services being in St. Stephen's Church, Westdale Park, Westmount.

Of the fifteen students at the front, several have been wounded, but have returned to duty. One of them, Pte. Albert Victor Hardwick, was taken prisoner at Lanagemarck. He was first reported as dead, and an impressive and largely attended memorial service was held at the college in his honor. He afterwards wrote that he was a prisoner in Germany, and that he had applied to the German authorities for permission to carry on missionary work amongst his 800 fellow-prisoners. They agreed to give him permission provided he had proper authority, and so he wrote to the Bishop of Montreal, who has sent him the necessary authorization.

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GOOD WORK OF MCGILL Y.M.C.A. AT THE FRONT

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Rev. Mr. Shafford Chaplain.

But these evening services now are no longer needed. Some time ago in orders we read the following, "The Rev. A. P. Shafford is allotted to this unit as Chaplain." A few days later the following was posted, "The Rev. A. P. Shafford reported for duty." It was very welcome news. Few of the men had not already heard him or heard of him. The good news spread and all rejoiced. The Chaplain conducts two services every Sunday—one in the morning, the regular church parade service; the other in the evening. They are most instructive and helpful to a stumbling Christian. Captain, the Chaplain, is thoroughly in sympathy with our work. He is ready to help us and we are willing to co-operate with him. It means a widening of our activities and an increase in the good that we can do.

Pay day comes around like all other things, and of course the banking system did its little bit. Since coming to France some 5,500 francs (or \$1,100.00) have been deposited in the bank in a neighboring town.

A short description of the Y.M.C.A. quarters might be of interest. It is a bell tent like all the rest of the men's tents. A ring of white chalk stones goes around the outer row of pegs. To the right of the door is the Y. M. triangle, in the centre of which is an asbestos board on edge, bearing the letters Y.M.C.A. On the left side is a white chalk rock into which Malcolm has carved the words "MCGILL Y. M. C. A." I am going to try to insert a rude drawing of this work of art which has received the congratulations of the Colonel. Over the doorway is a McGill Banner. Inside resides Richards and his two henchmen—Malcolm and Craik. Inside we find also the Y. M. supplies. It is small, but it is put to great use. It is big enough to supply a hospital corps with writing paper, magazines, etc. It is big enough to be a banking system. It is big enough to have regular Bible study circles. Big enough to want to do more and yet to be satisfied to work under limitations of supplies and room.

Monty's Montgomery.

But these are only temporary quarters. Within the last twenty-four hours we learned that we were to be given a tent, a large marquee tent for use in conjunction with the Chaplain of this unit. We furnish it and get supplies and have charge of it during the week while the Chaplain has charge of it on Sundays. We believe this the best workable plan we could have when we are situated as we are now.

Just before leaving Montreal Sergt. Currie was given his discharge in order that he might take a commission with the McGill Overseas Company. To fill his place Corporal Christie was promoted to the rank of Sergt. When he left England, Sergt. Christie remained in London. This left a vacancy in the Y. M. executive. The duties of Social Secretary were thought to be too arduous for one man and after due consideration Pte. Lorne C. Montgomery was asked to work with H. I. Evans as Social Secretary. We trust that Monty's ability will be of great value to the social life of the Camp.

The work of the Y. M. is greatly strengthened by the assistance of two committees, one in London and the other in Sheffield. In this we are particularly fortunate and for this are thankful to our President. It further is one of the "so called circumstances" arranged by the Great Leader that we should be able to work with these

committees although it appears to be only natural for Richards to be acquainted with these people.

Have Portable Organ.

The Committee in London is composed of some of the members of the "Bible Class Union of Great Britain." Mr. Lavington, the editor of the "Bible Class Review," who is closely connected with Stuart Holden's work in London, has promised to look after our literature supplies, etc. He has already sent a large parcel of French New Testaments and French booklets. Some of us Canadians are using these to learn more of the French language. Later they will be passed on to those who need them more than we do. Among the other first fruits is a portable organ. This organ is a "real dandy." Its sweet tone has already done much to make powerful the Sunday services we have had.

The other Committee in Sheffield is composed of well known men of the city who are prepared to stand by us in sending out regular supplies of towels, socks, soap, handkerchiefs, etc., etc. All supplies are sent gratis. But the Executive was strongly of the opinion that nominal prices should be charged to those who could pay and the money sent to strengthen the work of the Committee. For all cases of real need we are, however, only too glad to supply at once the necessities we have, provided they wear the uniform of our King or of our allies. Judging from the parcels already received the goods are of excellent quality and well suited for the needs of soldiers in active service.

Interest of Officers.

Another point of interest is the continued interest shown by the officers commanding this unit, Col. Birkett and Lieut.-Col. Yates. They are, perhaps, the busiest men in the unit, yet they—Col. Birkett in particular—have encouraged us in our endeavors and are willing that we should do our utmost to meet the needs of the men on the larger scale we have outlined. At the request of Col. Birkett we put into their hands a memorandum of our plans. This he promised to use for the purpose of securing a large marquee tent for us.

Here it is meet that the sentiments of the men should be expressed. They see in the Y. M. a vital necessity for their welfare. They know from the work already done that more could be done in better circumstances. They were very anxious that a place for recreation be provided and are very glad to hear of our arrangements with the Chaplain and O.C.'s of the unit. Among the men who are prominent in this are Sergt. Pedley, Corp. Tingling, and Corp. Gouan, Pte. Scrives, Keeping, Manning, Gall, Abell, Ross and many others. Two men in particular deserve special mention for their assistance—Malcolm and Craik. These two occupying the same tent as Richards, have only been too glad to help him in his work. When work pressed on him they even attended to some personal wants, such as washing his dishes, etc. So great has their help been that the Executive instructed the Secretary to write a personal letter of appreciation and thanks. Here also I would like to make mention of the valuable work rendered by Victor Lapp. The President feels that in him he has a most reliable and trustworthy assistant. The success of the banking is in a measure due to his unstinted aid, and all is done in that quiet and unassuming way that makes him "great."

Funds Are Needed.

Now there remains a very important matter to be mentioned. The small sum we had in the first instance has practically disappeared. We have found it necessary to secure general supplies, the expenses of which have been met and are being met by the fellows standing by us with funds until some support comes from Montreal. If we furnish the Y. M. as it ought to be furnished a large sum of

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A suggestion has been made that the first week's contributions be used to supply the needs of our boys in the No. 3 General Hospital (McGill). Future weeks' contributions can be arranged to suit the subscribers.

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A subscription list has been opened at the office of the secretary of the Students' Council in the Union, and it is hoped that every student will take this opportunity of doing his little bit.

NEW PLAN AT THE DAILY.

It has been decided to dispense with the services of the outside assistance which has heretofore been in use in connection with the McGill Daily and to turn over the duties to some deserving student who is in need of financial assistance.

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